

BESTWAY

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1 or 2 ozs. 3-ply and 2 to 4 ozs

Double Knitting

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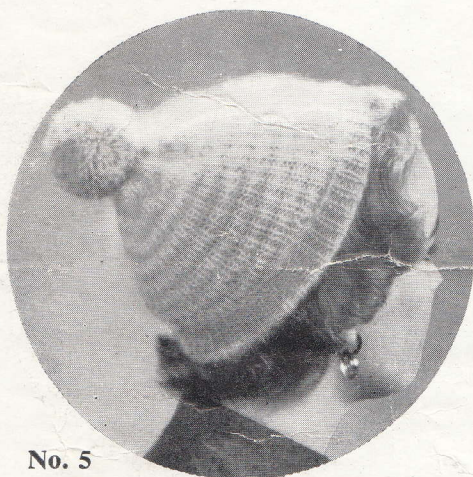


12 variations
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THE smart polo mode hat photographed on the cover is made from a straight strip of single ribbing and here we show it knitted in several lengths in a 3-ply fingering or double knitting wool, also suggestions for using Angora and Lyscord Glove Cotton, together with various ways of finishing the hats. All the hats photographed here fit average head sizes. Full instructions for making on back page.



No. 2



No. 5



No. 6



No. 9



No. 10

ODE HATS



No. 3



No. 4



No. 7



No. 8



No. 11



No. 12

TENSION : If using 3-ply wool or Angora and No. 9 needles, 12 sts. and 8 rows to 1 inch (unstretched) or 14 sts. and 10 rows on No. 11 needles. With double knitting wool and No. 7 needles, 8 sts. and 5½ rows to 1 inch (unstretched) or 10 sts. and 7 rows on No. 9 needles.

ABBREVIATIONS USED : K., knit; p., purl; sts., stitches; ch., chain; tog., together; G., grey; Y., yellow; W., white; B., black; R., red.

THE HAT ON THE COVER No. 1 (Length, 12 inches).

For this you will need 3 ozs. of Emu Scotch Double Knitting wool; 1 pair each of Nos. 7 and 9 knitting needles; a medium size crochet hook.

* With No. 9 needles, cast on 100 sts. Work 9 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib, then change to No. 7 needles and rib 28 rows.* Change to No. 9 needles and rib 40 rows; cast off ribwise. Join side edges of strip to form a round. Roll over cast-off edge at top and roll up lower edge. Using 9 strands of wool, crochet a ch. 15 inches in length and finish each end with a 2-inch tassel. Tie ch. round hat just below the roll.

HAT No. 2 (Length, 7 inches).

Allow 2 ozs. of Emu Botany 3-ply Fingering and a pair of Nos. 9 and 11 knitting needles.

** With No. 11 needles, cast on 120 sts. Work 12 rows in k. 1, p. 1 rib. Change to No. 9 needles and rib 40 rows.** Change to No. 11 needles and rib 8 rows; cast off ribwise. Join side edges to form a round. Roll up lower edge; gather top edge and finish with a long tassel.

HAT No. 3 (Length, 7 inches).

Allow 2 ozs. of double knitting wool and a pair of Nos. 7 and 9 knitting needles.

Work as for cover design from * to *. Change to No. 9 needles and rib 6 rows; cast off. Join seam, then fold work with seam at side edge, and catch-stitch cast-off (top edge) tog. at centre. Now fold the 2 outer edges towards centre and stitch these to the centre mark.

HAT No. 4 (Length, 12 inches).

Allow 3 ozs. of double knitting wool; 1 pair of Nos. 7 and 9 knitting needles; a medium size crochet hook.

Work as given for cover design. Join seam; gather cast-off edge, draw up and fasten off. Crochet a ch. of double wool, 3½ inches in length. Sew one end to gathered section and trim opposite end with a large pom-pom.

HAT No. 5 (Length, 7 inches).

Allow 1 oz. of 3-ply wool; a ½-oz. ball of Emu Bunny Fluff Angora; a pair of Nos. 9 and 11 knitting needles.

Work as for design 2, but in the following stripe sequence.

Rib 10 rows with 3-ply wool, then work 2 rows in Angora and 2 rows in wool alternately throughout. Join seam, gather cast-off edge and trim with a pom-pom, made with wool and Angora.

HAT No. 6 (Length, 7 inches).

Allow two ½-oz. balls of Emu Bunny Fluff

Angora; a small reel of gold thread; 1 pair of Nos. 9 and 11 knitting needles; a medium size crochet hook.

Work as for design 2, using Angora throughout. After joining seam, run a gathering thread 1½ inches below the cast-off edge; draw up and fasten off. Using gold thread double, crochet a ch. 15 inches in length, and finish each end with a gold tassel. Tie ch. round hat over gathering thread.

HAT No. 7 (Length, 7 inches).

Allow ½ oz. 3-ply wool in grey and ¼ oz. each in yellow and white; 1 pair of Nos. 9 and 11 knitting needles.

Work as for design 2, but in the following colour sequence.

Rib 8 rows in G, 6 rows Y, 4 rows W, 2 rows G, 4 Y, 2 W, 4 G, 2 Y, 6 W, 6 G, 6 Y, 2 W, 8 G. Fold and stitch hat as explained for design 3, but instead of leaving edges open, catch-stitch each pair tog. Finish outer edge of each "fold" with a small pom-pom of the wools.

HAT No. 8 (Length, 12 inches.)

Allow 2 ozs. each of red and black double knitting wool and 1 pair of Nos. 7 and 9 knitting needles.

With No. 9 needles and B wool, cast on 100 sts. and rib 9 rows. Change to No. 7 needles and rib 14 rows, then join on R wool and work a further 24 rows. Change to No. 9 needles and rib 3 rows with R, then 23 rows with B; cast off. Join seam, roll down top and roll up lower edge over a thin pad of cotton wool.

HAT No. 9 (Length, 14 inches).

Allow 2 ozs. of 3-ply wool and a pair of Nos. 9 and 11 knitting needles.

Work as for design 2, from ** to **, then change to No. 11 needles and rib 78 rows. Join seam, roll over top and roll up lower edge.

HAT No. 10 (Length, 14 inches).

Allow the same amount of wool and work exactly as given for design No. 9.

After joining seam, sew cast-off edges tog. and finish with a row of fringe. Crochet a ch. of double wool, 13 inches in length and tie round centre of hat.

HAT No. 11 (Length, 14 inches).

Allow 1 oz. of 3-ply wool and one 2-oz. skein of Lyscord Glove Cotton; 1 pair of Nos. 9 and 11 knitting needles.

Work as given for design No. 9, working in stripes as follows: rib the first 16 rows in wool, then 4 rows in Lyscord and 4 rows in wool alternately, until 11 narrow stripes in wool have been worked.

Join seam; gather cast-off edges and finish with a tassel of Lyscord attached to a 3-inch length of crochet chain.

HAT No. 12 (Length, 12 inches).

Allow the same amount of wool and work as given for cover design. Join seam, gather cast-off edges, and finish with a large pom-pom attached to a 3-inch length of chain. Fold up lower part to form a tuck.